

PATENT
720001-2001.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Dennis M. Smid et al.
 Serial No. : 10/043,454
 Filed : January 11, 2000
 For : CONSTRUCTION BOARD HAVING A NUMBER OF MARKS FOR FACILITATING THE INSTALLATION THEREOF AND A METHOD FOR FABRICATING SUCH CONSTRUCTION BOARD
 Examiner : Brian E. Glessner
 Art Unit : 3635

Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
 Sir:

745 Fifth Avenue
 New York, NY 10151

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.
Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional fee
Total claims	22	Minus	= 28	0 ×	\$18(9)	= \$00.00
Independent claims	9	Minus	= 13	0 ×	\$86(43)	= \$.00
			Total additional fee for this amendment			\$.00

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** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

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This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$290 (\$145) has been previously paid __, or is paid herewith __.

This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a ___ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$.00 is attached, which covers the cost of additional claims ___ petition for extension of time.

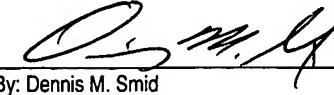
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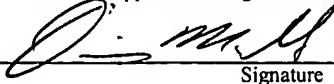
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: